

Exhibit A

AMENDED CERTIFICATION PURSUANT TO FEDERAL SECURITIES LAWS

1. I, Morgan Hoffman, make this declaration pursuant to §27(a)(2) of the Securities Act of 1933 (“Securities Act”) and/or §21D(a)(2) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 (“Exchange Act”) as amended by the Private Securities Litigation Reform Act of 1995.

2. I have reviewed a Complaint against Core Scientific, Inc. (“Core Scientific” or the “Company”) and authorize the filing of a motion on my behalf for appointment as lead plaintiff.

3. I did not purchase or acquire Core Scientific securities at the direction of plaintiffs’ counsel or in order to participate in any private action arising under the Securities Act or Exchange Act.

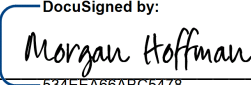
4. I am willing to serve as a representative party on behalf of a Class of investors who purchased or otherwise acquired Core Scientific securities during the Class Period as specified in the Complaint, including providing testimony at deposition and trial, if necessary. I understand that the Court has the authority to select the most adequate lead plaintiff in this action.

5. The attached sheet (Schedule “A”) lists all of my transactions in Core Scientific securities during the Class Period, as specified in the Complaint.

6. During the three-year period preceding the date on which this Certification is signed, I have not served or sought to serve as a representative party on behalf of a class under the federal securities laws.

7. I agree not to accept any payment for serving as a representative party on behalf of the class as set forth in the Complaint, beyond my pro rata share of any recovery, except such reasonable costs and expenses directly relating to the representation of the class as ordered or approved by the Court.

I declare under penalty of perjury, under the laws of the United States of America, that the foregoing is true and correct this day of 1/27/2023.

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Morgan Hoffman

SCHEDULE A**MORGAN HOFFMAN****CLASS PERIOD TRANSACTIONS****ACCOUNT 1 TRANSACTIONS****PURCHASES**

DATE	SHARES	PRICE
4/26/2022	3,096	(\$6.12)
4/26/2022	2	(\$6.12)
4/26/2022	100	(\$6.12)
4/26/2022	100	(\$6.12)
4/26/2022	2	(\$6.12)
4/26/2022	300	(\$6.12)
4/26/2022	200	(\$6.12)
4/26/2022	1,000	(\$6.12)
4/26/2022	10	(\$6.12)
4/26/2022	90	(\$6.12)
4/26/2022	100	(\$6.12)
5/9/2022	5,000	(\$4.67)
6/3/2022	18,546	(\$2.80)
6/3/2022	500	(\$2.80)
6/3/2022	300	(\$2.80)
6/3/2022	200	(\$2.80)
6/3/2022	100	(\$2.80)
6/3/2022	700	(\$2.80)
6/3/2022	100	(\$2.80)
6/3/2022	8,200	(\$2.80)
6/3/2022	100	(\$2.80)
6/3/2022	100	(\$2.80)
6/3/2022	107	(\$2.80)
6/3/2022	300	(\$2.80)
6/3/2022	500	(\$2.80)
6/3/2022	100	(\$2.80)
6/3/2022	100	(\$2.80)
6/3/2022	900	(\$2.80)
6/3/2022	100	(\$2.80)
6/3/2022	69	(\$2.80)
6/3/2022	100	(\$2.80)
6/3/2022	600	(\$2.80)
6/3/2022	73	(\$2.80)
6/3/2022	100	(\$2.80)
6/3/2022	56	(\$2.80)
6/3/2022	36	(\$2.80)

6/3/2022	100	(\$2.80)
6/3/2022	179	(\$2.80)
6/3/2022	600	(\$2.80)
6/3/2022	39	(\$2.80)
6/3/2022	700	(\$2.80)
6/3/2022	100	(\$2.80)
6/3/2022	3,400	(\$2.80)
6/3/2022	100	(\$2.80)
6/3/2022	100	(\$2.80)
6/3/2022	900	(\$2.80)
6/3/2022	700	(\$2.80)
6/3/2022	100	(\$2.80)
6/3/2022	195	(\$2.80)
6/3/2022	300	(\$2.80)
6/3/2022	300	(\$2.80)
6/3/2022	100	(\$2.80)
6/3/2022	100	(\$2.80)

ACCOUNT 2 STOCK TRANSACTIONS**PURCHASES**

DATE	SHARES	PRICE
1/3/2022	15,000	(\$10.97)
1/3/2022	400	(\$10.96)
1/3/2022	400	(\$10.96)
1/3/2022	1,000	(\$10.96)
1/3/2022	200	(\$10.96)
1/3/2022	100	(\$10.96)
1/3/2022	100	(\$10.96)
1/3/2022	400	(\$10.95)
1/3/2022	100	(\$10.98)
1/3/2022	400	(\$10.95)
1/3/2022	100	(\$10.98)
1/3/2022	500	(\$10.96)
1/3/2022	500	(\$10.96)
1/3/2022	500	(\$10.96)
1/3/2022	500	(\$10.96)
1/3/2022	500	(\$10.96)
1/3/2022	500	(\$10.96)
1/3/2022	200	(\$10.97)
1/3/2022	500	(\$10.96)
1/3/2022	100	(\$10.97)
1/3/2022	100	(\$10.95)
1/3/2022	700	(\$10.96)
1/3/2022	300	(\$10.96)
1/3/2022	100	(\$10.96)

1/3/2022	500	(\$10.95)
1/3/2022	100	(\$10.94)
1/3/2022	100	(\$10.94)
1/3/2022	100	(\$10.94)
1/3/2022	800	(\$10.94)
1/3/2022	100	(\$10.94)
1/3/2022	100	(\$10.94)
4/19/2022	800	(\$7.82)
4/19/2022	1,700	(\$7.82)
4/21/2022	1,452	(\$6.58)
4/21/2022	187	(\$6.58)
4/21/2022	661	(\$6.58)
4/21/2022	52	(\$6.58)
4/21/2022	48	(\$6.58)
4/21/2022	100	(\$6.58)
5/9/2022	5,000	(\$4.61)
5/11/2022	5,000	(\$3.87)
6/3/2022	27,076	(\$2.81)
6/3/2022	5,302	(\$2.81)
6/3/2022	100	(\$2.80)
6/3/2022	100	(\$2.80)
6/3/2022	100	(\$2.80)
6/3/2022	100	(\$2.80)
6/3/2022	400	(\$2.80)
6/3/2022	100	(\$2.80)
6/3/2022	100	(\$2.80)
6/3/2022	100	(\$2.80)
6/3/2022	100	(\$2.80)
6/3/2022	100	(\$2.80)
6/3/2022	3,500	(\$2.80)
6/3/2022	100	(\$2.80)
6/3/2022	100	(\$2.80)
6/3/2022	100	(\$2.80)
6/3/2022	100	(\$2.80)
6/3/2022	100	(\$2.80)
6/3/2022	100	(\$2.80)
6/3/2022	300	(\$2.80)
6/3/2022	662	(\$2.80)
6/3/2022	100	(\$2.80)
6/3/2022	6	(\$2.80)
6/3/2022	100	(\$2.80)
6/3/2022	69	(\$2.80)
6/3/2022	100	(\$2.80)
6/3/2022	100	(\$2.80)
6/3/2022	100	(\$2.80)
6/3/2022	285	(\$2.80)
6/3/2022	100	(\$2.80)
6/3/2022	100	(\$2.80)
6/3/2022	100	(\$2.80)

6/3/2022	200	(\$2.80)
10/19/2022	7,800	(\$0.99)
10/19/2022	100	(\$0.99)
10/19/2022	100	(\$0.99)
10/19/2022	450	(\$0.99)
10/19/2022	700	(\$0.99)
10/19/2022	50	(\$0.99)
10/19/2022	100	(\$0.99)
10/19/2022	700	(\$0.99)

ACCOUNT 2 OPTIONS TRANSACTIONS

DATE	DESCRIPTION	QUANTITY	SYMBOL	PRICE
1/21/2022	Bought 500 CORZ March 18 '22 \$10 Call @ 0.55	500	CORZ March 18 '22 \$10 Call	(\$0.55)
1/21/2022	Bought 500 CORZ March 18 '22 \$10 Call @ 0.55	500	CORZ March 18 '22 \$10 Call	(\$0.55)
3/18/2022	500 CORZ March 18 '22 \$10 Call Expired	500	CORZ March 18 '22 \$10 Call	\$0.00
3/18/2022	500 CORZ March 18 '22 \$10 Call Expired	500	CORZ March 18 '22 \$10 Call	\$0.00